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UMOS: PO Maharaj

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Allegations: Missing Property - from Person - Prisoner

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Narrative: On Saturday June 15, 2019 at 0120 hours, Detective REDACTED, received a phone call from REDACTED of the 77 Precinct. The details are as follows; REDACTED is reporting the fact that a prisoner is alleging his property is missing. PO Maharaj placed Mr. REDACTED under arrest for criminal mischief and assault at 0028 hours at REDACTED along with PO REDACTED. When the officers got back to the Precinct they did a search of Mr. REDACTED at the desk. As they searched him, Mr. REDACTED alleged that he is missing a du-rag, a stainless steel chain with pendant, a wallet, a Social Security card, a Metrocard and between \$200-\$210 USC. Mr. REDACTED states he had approximately 1-\$50, 5-\$20's, 5-\$10's and some singles, but he is unsure of the exact total amount. Mr. REDACTED is currently at the 77 Precinct and his arrest is currently being processed. The search of the prisoner in front of the desk was captured by body cam.

At 0139 hours an ICMS check revealed no prior related logs.

At 0141 hours the C/C audio was attached.

At 0142 hours a PETS check revealed no invoices with the above property.

At 0145 hours DI REDACTED was notified in regards and recommends a callout to Group 9.

At 0146 hours Lt. REDACTED of Group 9 was notified.

At 0148 hours I reviewed the body cam of PO Maharaj. At the 8:15 mark the male is placed under arrest. At the 10:20 mark the male begins to ask for his property but doesn't specify what property. At 11:05 the male states he had \$300 in his front right pocket, then states most of his stuff was taken out. At 13:37 the male states his chain was broken off during the dispute with his girlfriend. PO Maharaj states we have it over there. PO Maharaj did not search the prisoner at the desk in the precinct.

At 0210 hours I reviewed the body cam of PO Maynard. At the 37:00 mark the male states his property is missing. He states someone took his money and his wallet out of his pocket. One of the officers states he did not search him. At 37:45 the male states he had \$209, a wallet and his social security card and the Indian officer searched him and took his property.

Disposition: Unsubstantiated

Investigating Officer Closing Notes/Penalty: There was insufficient evidence to clearly prove or disprove the allegation of missing property from prisoner. A review of BWC footage was not able to conclusively establish whether or not the property was present, or if so what happened to it. There was no independent witnesses, or evidence to corroborate or refute the allegations. Therefore, the allegation of Missing Property - From Person - Prisoner is closed with a finding of unsubstantiated.